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TROPONIN I AND T AND
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FOR USE IN IMMUNOASSAYS

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTIONCommissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2002 ("Paper No. 19"), please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please replace claims 87, 88, 90, 93, 96, 105, 116-119, 121-124, 126-129, and 131-133 with the following amended claims. A marked up version of the amendment is attached hereto as Appendix A.